CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Fax No. (703) 872-9306, on the date shown below:

Dated: 2/16/05

Show

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

FEB 1 6 2005

PATENT Attorney Docket No. P-095-US1 Customer No. 27038

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Patent Application of | )                                |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Mammen et al.               | ) Group Art Unit: 1625           |
| Application No.: 09/732,241 | ) Examiner: Raymond K. Covington |
| Filed: December 7, 2000     | )                                |
| For: THERAPEUTIC CARBAMATES | )                                |

## REPLY AND AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

### I. INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This Reply and Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed on January 6, 2005, for the above-identified patent application. The Office Action set a three-month period for response and therefore, this reply is due on or before April 6, 2005. In response to the Office Action, entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks is respectfully requested:



RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

FEB 1 6 2005

# Facsimile Cover Sheet

To:

**Commissioner for Patents** 

Attn:

**Examiner Covington, Art Unit 1625** 

Company:

**USPTO** 

Fax:

(703) 872-9306

From:

Jeff Hagenah

Company:

Theravance, Inc.

Telephone:

650-808-6406

Fax:

650-808-6078

Date:

February 16, 2005

# of pages:

: 24

(including this page)

If there are any problems in receiving this transmission, please call (650) 808-6406.

### Comments:

Attached is a Reply and Amendment for U.S. Serial No. 09/732,241.

#### **Notice of Confidentiality**

The following transmittal contains confidential information intended exclusively for the above-named person. Use, copying, distribution or disclosure of information transmitted in error is strictly prohibited. Please call Theravance, Inc. at the above number if you have received this fax in error, and either destroy or return the enclosures to us.

PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

PTC/SB/21 (09-04)
Approved for use through 07/31/2008. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

| TRANSMITTAL   |  | Application Number                            |   | 09/732,241   |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|
|   |  | Filing Date                                   |   | December 7, 2000   |  |  |  |  |
| FORM  |  | First Named Inventor                          |   | Mammen et al.  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | Art Unit                                      |   | 1625   |  |  |  |  |
| (to be used for all correspondence after a  | Examiner Name                              |   | Raymond                                     | K. Covington   |  |  |  |  |
| Total Number of Pages in This Submiss   |  | Attorney Docket Nu                            | ımber                                       | P-095-US   | 1  |  |  |  |
| ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)   |  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| ☐ Fee Transmittal Form  | Drawing(s                                  |   |   | After Alle   | owance Communication to TC                               |  |  |  |
| Fee Attached  | Licensing-related Papers                   |   |   | Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences     |  |  |  |  |
| Amendment / Reply   | Petition                                   |   |   | Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) |  |  |  |  |
| After Final   |  | Convert to a<br>al Application                |   | Proprietary Information  |  |  |  |  |
| Affidavits/declaration(s)   |  | Attorney, Revocation<br>of Correspondence Add | ress  | Status Letter  |  |  |  |  |
| Extension of Time Request   | Terminal                                   | Disclaimer                                    | Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): |  |  |  |  |  |
| Express Abandonment Request   | Request for Refund                         |   |   | Facsimile C  | over Page  |  |  |  |
| Information Disclosure Statement  | CD, Number of CD(s)  Landscape Table on CD |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Certified Copy of Priority  | Remarks                                    | Enclosed are the                              | followin                                    |  | · ·  |  |  |  |
| Document(s)  Reply to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application   | page in dupi                               |   |   |  | (1 page); Fee Transmittal (1<br>le); and Facsimile Cover |  |  |  |
| Reply to Missing Parts  |  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| under 37 CFR1.52 or 1.53  | <u> </u>                                   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| SIGI  | NATURE OF                                  | APPLICANT, ATTO                               | RNEY, O                                     | R AGENT  |  |  |  |  |
| Firm Theravance, Inc.   |  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Signature Self-A-A  |  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Printed Name  | Jeffrey A. Hagenah                         |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Date  | February 1                                 | 6, 2005                                       | Reg.<br>No.                                 | 35,175   |  |  |  |  |
| CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING   |  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below. |  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Signature   | A  | Me  | Q   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Typed or printed name Seffley A   | Hagenab Reg                                | . No. 35,175                                  |   | Date   | February 16, 2005  |  |  |  |

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retzin a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time your require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

FTO/SB/17 (12-04v2)
Approved for use through 07/31/2006, OMB 0851-0032
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

|   | e on 12/00   |                         | CHR ARIRI                     |                                    |               | Complete if Known |          |                  | :                              |
|---|--|-------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|-------------------|----------|------------------|--------------------------------|
| Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).   |  |                         | Application Number 09/732,241 |                                    |               |                   |          |                  |                                |
| FEE TRANSMITTAL   |  | Filing Date             | De                            | December 7, 2000                   |               |                   |          |                  |                                |
| for FY 2005   |  |                         | First Named Inve              | ntar Mi                            | Mammen et al. |                   |          |                  |                                |
| Applicant claims small  | entity st  | atus. See 37 C          | FR 1.27                       | Examiner Name                      |               | aymond K. Covir   | naton    |                  |                                |
|   |  |                         |                               | Art Unit                           |               | 25                |          |                  |                                |
| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAY   | TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 130                             |                         |                               |                                    | No. P         | 095-US1           |          |                  |                                |
| METHOD OF PAYMENT   | r (check   | all that apply)         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          | ·                |                                |
| ☐ Check ☐ Credit Care   | а∏м  | loney Order             | None []                       | Other (please id                   | entify) :     |                   |          |                  |                                |
| Deposit Account Dep   |  |                         |                               |                                    |               | t Name: Then      | avance   | , inc.           |                                |
| For the above-ide   | ntified de   | posit account, t        | he Director Is                | hereby authorize                   | d to: (ch     | eck all that ap   | ply)     |                  | <del></del>                    |
| Charge fee  | e(s) indica  | ited below              |                               |                                    | Charge        | fee(s) Indicate   | ed below | w, except        | for the filing fee             |
| Charge an   | y addition   | al fee(s) or und        | erpayments o                  | f fee(s)                           | Credit a      | ny overpayme      | ents     |                  | •                              |
| Under 37 (<br>WARNING: Information on thi<br>information and authorization  | s form ma  | y become public         | . Credit card l               | nformation should                  | not be in     | cluded on this    | form. P  | Tovide cre       | dit card                       |
| FEE CALCULATION   |  |                         |                               |                                    | <u></u>       |                   |          |                  | <del></del>                    |
| 1. BASIC FILING, SEA  | RCH, A   | ND EXAMINA              | TION FEES                     | ;                                  |               |                   | ·        |                  | <del>-</del>                   |
|   | FILING   | FEES                    |                               | ARCH FEES                          |               | EXAMIN            |          |                  |                                |
| Application Type  | Fee (\$  | Small Entit ) Fee(\$)   |                               | Small<br>e(\$) Fee(                |               | Fee(\$)           |          | Entity<br>e(\$)  | Fees Paid (\$)                 |
| Utility   | 300  | 150                     | 50                            |                                    | 31            | 200               | 100      |                  | : 1000 / 404 (4)               |
| Design  | 200  | 100                     | 10                            | 50                                 |               | 130               | 65       | j                | :                              |
| Plant   | 200  | 100                     | 30                            | 150                                |               | 160               | 80       | )                | :                              |
| Reissuc   | 300  | 150                     | 50                            | 250                                |               | 600               | 300      | )                | :                              |
| Provisional   | 200  | 100                     | ı                             | 0                                  |               | 0                 | C        | )                |                                |
| 2. EXCESS CLAIM FE  | ES   |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          | ;                | Small Entity                   |
| Fee Description   |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   | <u>F</u> | ee (\$)          | Fee (\$)                       |
| Each claim over 20 (inc   |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          | 50               | 25                             |
| Each independent claim  |  | (including Reis         | sues)                         |                                    |               |                   | _        | 00               | 100                            |
| Total Claims  | Multiple dependent claims  Total Claims Extra Claims Fee(\$) |                         |                               |                                    | Fee Paid (\$) |                   |          | 60<br>Aultinia F | 180<br><u>Dependent Clai</u> m |
| -20 or HP=  |  | x                       | - 00/4/                       |                                    | 4             |                   |          | Fee (\$)         |                                |
| HP = highest number of t  |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          | 1 60 (4)         | ree Faid (                     |
| Indep. Claims   |  | Claims                  | Fee(\$)                       | Fee Paid (\$                       | 3             |                   | ,        |                  |                                |
| - 3 or HP=  |  | x                       |                               |                                    | -             |                   |          |                  | •                              |
| HP ≈ highest number of  | independe  | <br>nt claims paid for, | if greater than :             | 3.                                 |               |                   |          |                  | •                              |
| 3. APPLICATION SIZE   | FEE  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          |                  |                                |
| If the specification and d  | rawings o  | exceed 100 shee         | ets of paper (e               | xcluding electro                   | nically fi    | iled sequence     | or com   | puter            |                                |
| listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s). |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          |                  |                                |
| Total Sheets  | thereof.   |                         |                               | nd 37 CFR 1.16(<br>ch additional : |               | nation thora      | E        | aa (\$\          | Eno Bold (\$)                  |
|   |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   | OI C     | ee (\$)          | Fee Paid (\$)                  |
|   |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          |                  |                                |
| 4. OTHER FEE(S)  Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)  |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          |                  |                                |
| Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)  Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Statutory Disclaimer (Fee Code 1814)  |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          | 130              |                                |
| Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Statutory Disclaimer (Fee Code 1814)  130  |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          |                  |                                |
| SUBMITTED BY  |  |                         |                               |                                    |               |                   |          |                  |                                |
| Signature   | سر ۸۸  | AQ                      | The _                         | Registratio                        |               | 35,175            |          | Telephone        | (650) 808-6                    |
| Name (Print/Type)   | WV A   | Hagenah                 | 77                            | (Attorney/A                        | gen)          |                   |          | Date             | Feb. 16. 20                    |

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.136. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 30 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Petent and Trademark Office. U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing this form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.

PTO/SB/17 (12-04v2)
Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0851-0032
U.S. Patent and Tredemark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

| Fees pursuant to the Consolidat  | ed Approj  |                          | 5 (H,R. 4818).      | Complete If Known             |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
|--|------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| ,  |            |                          | Applica             | Application Number 09/732,241 |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| FEE TRANSMITTAL  |            |                          | Filing C            | Filing Date December 7, 2000  |                                    |                       | 3                     |                      |
| for FY 2005  |            |                          | First Na            | amed Inventor                 | Mammen ot al.                      |                       |                       |                      |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27                          |            |                          |                     | Examir                        | Examiner Name Raymond K. Covington |                       |                       |                      |
| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 130   |            |                          | Art Uni             | t                             |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
|  |            |                          | Attorne             | Attorney Docket No. P-095-US1 |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)                                       |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| ☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify) :         |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| Deposit Account Depo   | sit Acco   | unt Number: 50           | 0-0344              |                               | Deposit Acco                       | unt Name: Then        | avance, Inc.          |                      |
| For the above-ide  | ntified de | posit account,           | the Director is     | s hereby                      | authorized to:                     | (check all that ap    | pply)                 |                      |
| Charge fee   | (s) indica | ited below               |                     |                               | Char                               | ge fee(s) indicate    | ed below, excep       | t for the filing fee |
| Charge any   | addition   | al fee(s) or und         | derpayments         | of fee(s)                     | Credi                              | it any overpayme      | ents                  | •                    |
| Under 37 C   | FR 1.16    | and 1.17                 |                     |                               |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| WARNING: Information on this<br>information and authorization                  | on PTO-    | iy becoma publi<br>1038. | c. Credit card      | Informatio                    | on should not be                   | e included on this    | form. Provide cr      | edit card            |
| FEE CALCULATION  |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| 1. BASIC FILING, SEA   | RCH, A     | ND EXAMINA               | ATION FEE           | S                             |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
|  |            | FEES                     | S                   | EARCH                         |                                    |                       | ATION FEES            |                      |
| Application Type   | Fee (\$    | Small Enti ) Fee(\$)     |                     | 00(E)                         | Small Entity                       |                       | Small Entity          | Food Bold (\$)       |
| Utility  | 300        | 150                      | _                   | <u>ee(\$)</u><br>00           | Fee(\$)<br>250                     | <u>Fee(\$)</u><br>200 | <u>Fee(\$)</u><br>100 | Fees Paid (\$)       |
| Design   | 200        | 100                      |                     | 00                            | 50                                 | 130                   | . 65                  |                      |
| Plant  | 200        | 100                      |                     | 00                            | 150                                | 160                   | 80                    | <del></del>          |
| Reissue  | 300        | 150                      |                     | 00                            | 250                                | .600                  | 300                   | <del>4</del>         |
| Provisional  | 200        | 100                      |                     | 0                             | 0                                  | 0                     | 0                     |                      |
| 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEE  | ES         |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       | -                     | Small Entity         |
| Fee Description  |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       | Fee (\$)              | Fee (\$)             |
| Each claim over 20 (inc  | luding R   | eissues)                 |                     |                               |                                    |                       | 50                    | 25                   |
| Each independent claim   | over 30    |                          | ssues)              |                               |                                    |                       | 200                   | 100                  |
| Multiple dependent clair   |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       | 360                   | 180                  |
| Total Claims   |            | Claims                   | Fee(\$)             |                               | Pald (\$)                          |                       |                       | Dependent Claims     |
| 20 or HP=  |            | ×                        |                     | =                             |                                    |                       | Fee (\$               | Fee Paid (\$)        |
| HP = highest number of to  |            |                          |                     | <b>-</b>                      | D-1-1 (A)                          |                       |                       | ·                    |
| Indep. Claims  | CXII       | <u>Claims</u>            | Fee(\$)             | _ Fee                         | Pald (\$)                          |                       |                       |                      |
| - 3 or HP=<br>HP = highest number of h   |            | X<br>nt claims pold for  | if prester then     | =                             |                                    |                       |                       | •                    |
| 3. APPLICATION SIZE  | -          | dokno pola loi           | , ii gi ozioi alaii | Ю.                            |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| If the specification and dr  |            | exceed 100 she           | ets of naner /      | excludin                      | a electronicall                    | v filed sequence      | or computer           | :                    |
| listings under 37  |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    | •                     | •                     | 150                  |
| sheets or fraction   |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    | · <b>,,</b>           |                       |                      |
| <u>Total Sheets</u>  |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    | fraction there        | of <u>Fee (\$)</u>    | Fee Paid (\$)        |
| 100 =  | ·          | / 50 =                   | (n                  | ound up                       | to a whole n                       | umber) x              |                       | <del>=</del>         |
| 4. OTHER FEE(S) Fees Paid (\$)   |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)                |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Statutory Disclaimer (Fee Code 1814)  130 |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       |                       |                      |
| SUBMITTED BY   |            |                          |                     |                               |                                    |                       |                       | :                    |
| Signature  | 11/~       | -A.A                     | ter-                | 0                             | Registration No.                   | 35,175                | Telephoni             | (650) 808-6406       |
| Name (Print/Type)  | NV K       | Hagenah                  | 0                   |                               | (Attorney/Agent)                   |                       | Date                  | Feb. 16, 2005        |

Name (Print/Type)

Pate

Feb. 16, 200

This collection of Information is required by 37 CFR 1.138. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentially is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 30 minutes to complete, including gastering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will very depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the emount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing this form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.